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Hot times in Appomattox

By BILL SHERROD

Appomattox County's meteorological visitor from the Southwest -- the heat wave of 1980 -- was scheduled to leave the area this week, but not before it had made its presence well known.

Temperatures reached the three-digit mark at least twice last week, and residents of the county found that the weather had replaced Iran, Afghanistan, and the Republican National Convention as the favorite topic of idle chatter.

The official high for the week was 100 degrees, recorded on Wednesday and Thursday at the State Police station off Route 460 west of town.

Thursday was the hottest day of the week, with the low getting down to a sweltering, humid 72 degrees in the early morning hours. Sunday's high was 87 degrees, Monday's high was 90, Tuesday's high mark 80 degrees, Friday's high 93, Saturday's 94 and Sunday's high temperature was 96 degrees.

The coolest reading of the week was 62 degrees, taken in the early morning hours of Tuesday.

Ken Hudgins, chief meteorologist at the Lynchburg Airport, said Monday that the steamy weather was expected to leave this week, with temperatures reaching a more normal level for this time of year.

Cooling rains which fell on parts of the county Monday and Tuesday semed to bear out his prediction.

"We were feeling the effects of the same high pressure system that has been hovering over Texas," said Hudgins in explaining the heat. "The large, stagnant high pressure system accumulated more and more heat and gradually started to move east." He noted that temperatures in this area averaged from five to ten degrees above normal last week.

He said temperatures in this part of the state should be range from the 80's to the high 60's between Wednesday and Friday this week.

People, animals and crops

One thing is certain in the wake of the heat wave last week: Appomattox Countians can now understand better what the residents of the Southwest have had to contend with going on two months.

People, animals and plants in this area were all affected adversely by the sweltering heat. All three units of the Appomattox County Rescue Squad as well as a squad member's personal vehicle were called to the 4-H camp at Holiday Lake late Wednesday night following reports of heat exhaustion among several of the campers.

"We brought about 20 of the kids back to town where they cooled off in the air conditioning at the Burger King and the John Mosby Inn," said rescue squad spokesman Ray Noble. He added that one of the campers had to be taken to Lynchburg General Hospital because of dehydration.

Plants and animals were also hard hit by the high temperatures and humidity. Lester Goin, who raises chickens commercially on his farm near Hixburg, lost approximately 2,400 birds due to the heat.

County Extension Agent Jim Smith added that the continued heat and dry spell is causing hard times for cattle ranchers, as well. "The animals can keep cool," noted Smith. "The big problem is feeding them. The heat and lack of rain have pretty much dried up the pastures, and the hay crop is starting to dwindle as well.

Smith added, as a footnote, that the general agricultural scenario is "not looking good, and will be very bad if we don't get a good soaking rain soon."

Prevention better than cure

Town Manager Bill Britton, who serves as county Emergency Services Coordinator as well, noted that in extreme heat, as in any extreme environmental conditions, "an ounce of prevention is worth a pound of cure."

He noted that outside work should not be done during the "height of the day," which, with temperatures like last week's, is between 9 a.m. and 6 p.m.

"People should not leave animals or children in vehicles even for short periods of time when the heat is like it was last week," Britton added.

He added that use of air conditioning, a fan, a swimming pool, a shady spot beneath a tree, and plenty of fluids will help keep body temperatures low in the summer's heat, and should in turn provide adequate protection against heat stroke, heat exhaustion and the like.

"But in the event that one of the heat-related maladies sets in," he notes, "people should be aware of the warning signs." Nausea, coldness, listlessness, and the inability to perspire are all signs of heat-related physical problems.

"If a person has one or more of these symptoms, they should try to cool off as soon as possible, and contact either their doctor or the local rescue squad as soon as possible for advise."

THE APPOMATTOX UNIT Board of Directors of the American Cancer Society last week honored retiring member, the Rev. Raymond Q. Lawing. Members of the board presented Lawing with a plaque as a small token of their esteem and appreciation for more than twenty years of outstanding service. Lawing, a highly respected member of the community, was been serving the American Cancer Society since the Appomattox Unit was organized. For all of those years he has served on the Crusade Fund Raising Committee in charge of churches and has been instrumental in a large portion of the funds collected over the years. Lawing served as vice-president of the local board for the last eight years of his active participation. Shown above with the Rev. Lawing are board members Janet Noble, Claudia A. Gordon, incoming president, Gladys Moon, Frank C. Chachek and Brod Pack.

Slots open for RRF show

Entries are now being taken for the arts and crafts sales and demonstrations for this year's Railroad Festival planned for Oct. 11 and 12.

Anyone interested in participating should contact Newlyn Morris as soon as possible to guarantee a good location for sales.

Call Mrs. Morris after 5:30 at 352-5293 or write Route 3, Box 459, Appomattox, Va. 24522.

Entries will be treated on a first-come, first-serve basis.

THE 1980 APPOMATTOX BABE RUTH All Star team: front row, from left - - Robert Chernault, bat boy; Jay Chernault, James Carrico, Jody Williams, Ricky Mayberry, Gary Ferguson; second row, from left - - Greg Mayberry, Ken Caldwell, Rodney Bryant, Mike Williams, Tim Bennett, Dennie Hudson; back row, from left - - coach Leon Edmonds, Allen Edmonds, Kevin Ferguson, John Booker, Bobby Wingfield, Coach Fred "Bookie" Johnson, and Manager Floyd Williams.

Babe Ruth Baseball

Locals take division title

After winning the first two games of the Babe Ruth District I Tournament in South Boston, the Appomattox Babe Ruth All Star Team lost to Rustburg 5-4 last week.

Rustburg defeated Appomattox with a last-inning rally which netted the team four runs. Rustburg's victory extended the series one additional game, and the two teams met on Thursday night, July 17.

After playing an inning and a half, the game was stopped because of rain with Rustburg winning, 4-0.

Babe Ruth League rules stipulate that rain-delayed games must resume where they ended when interrupted by rain, so on Friday, July 18 the two teams began play again with Rustburg holding a 4-0 lead.

However, the local team overcame the Rustburg lead and went on to win the game and the District I title, by a score of 8 to 7. Winning pitcher in the game was Tim Bennett, who has compiled (to date) a 2-0 record in post-season play.

Trophies were awarded to each player, as well as the coaches and manager.

The Appomattox Babe Ruth All Star team advanced as District I champions to the State Tournament at South Boston. The tournament was scheduled to get underway July 22 (Tuesday) at 6 p.m. The local team's first scheduled opponent was the all-star team from Orange.

The team trophy awarded to the manager is on display at the Times-Virginian Printing Corporation on Main street in town.

'Miss Wheelchair'

County native competes in national pageant

An Appomattox County native will represent the state of Montana in the Miss Wheelchair America pageant, slated for Aug. 7-9 at the Neil House in Columbus, Ohio.

Mrs. Margaret Hatcher Lloyd, known as "Margie" to her friends and relatives in Appomattox, won the tiffe of "Miss Wheelchair Montana" in April, and will represent that state in the national contest. The finals will be held Aug. 9. Margie will be in Columbus from Aug. 6-9.

Margie, now age 57, was born in the Liberty Chapel-Vera area of Appomattox County. She graduated from Appomattox County High School, but shortly after graduation became bedridden with rheumatoid arthritis.

In an interview in the Helena, Montant Independent Record, Margie says she left Appomattox in 1944 for treatment at the mineral baths in Hot Springs, Ark.

She had started writing George Lloyd, of Helena, in 1942 and three and a half years later, after her pen pal got out of the service following World War II, they were married.

She and her husband went into the moving and storage business in 1954. While they were divorced in 1972, they continue to work together and maintain a good business relationship. Despite being confined to a wheelchair, Margie gets around quite well. She drives a car with a hydraulic lift to help her get her wheelchair in and out, and performs her housecleaning chores with vigor and determination.

"I really had no idea how I could manage a home and get along but I did it and made out quite well for a number of years," she wrote in her application for the Miss Wheelchair Montana title.

She terms the divorce "about the worst experience of my whole life." She says she was frightened at the prospect of being out on her own, but was pleased to find that she can get along quite nicely.

Now, for the past three and a half years, she has been a foster parent to a 39-year-old retarded woman. She says her foster child helps her as much as she helps the child.

The winner of the national pageant will receive $3,000, a new wheel chair and the use of a fully-equipped van for a year to travel around the country and make people aware of the handicapped.

Contestants at the pageant are judged on their accomplishments, attitude and personality.

Margie, who enjoys keeping up with her friends in Appomattox, can be reached at 1019 Choteau, Helena, Montana, 59601.

Father Darkleaf

By CALVIN ROBINSON

Apparently there is no limit on conversation about the weather. Endless talk about how hot it is, how dry it is. Example: years ago during a hot spell, I tried to fry an egg on the sidewalk down on Main Street. Got a sort of sunny side up result. Farmers compare notes on status of crops. Gardeners lament that "I won't get my seed back." Others are more fortunate and have had showers on rich lowground and are in good spirit. I still talk about how dry it was in Arizona when I was out there years ago. Most everyone has something to contribute to weather talk. I asked a friend his choice between extreme heat or extreme cold. He said "cold." I'm not so sure. Ask me in February!

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Thanks to my friend, Ensign Rick Wingfield, Appomattox service man now on duty in the Persian Gulf area, for writing me a long letter and sending a collection of newspapers from that troubled part of the world. One was printed in Arabic, the others in English. Appropriate was an article in one of the papers about the importance of cotton garments. Best way to stand the heat is by wearing loose-fitting cotton garments. Wow, sandstorms in 120 degree heat! Thanks again, Rick, and come to see your many friends here soon. I note that you get the Times-Virginian so this will be my answer to your letter. God Bless.

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Bro. Thomas Richardson and some friends are back home in Appomattox after a 3,800-mile trip to Western States. Dropped by Saturday to tell about the trip and to bring me newspapers from Nebraska, Arkansas, etc. He is on an interesting hobby project. Some years ago he set out to visit and take pictures of Virginia courthouses. Now he is about half way through on a project of visiting and taking pictures of all fifty state capitols. I value Tommy as a friend and thanks so much for hearing such interesting travel talk.

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This being a Presidential election year, the papers, radio and TV are filled with coverage, and it will be that way through the campaign. I never discuss politics in this column, only asking that you vote. But I made a note to ask a question. How many Presidents have you seen? In person. My answer is six. I shook hands with William Howard Taft. A huge man, about 300 pounds. Only man to hold both top offices, President and Chief Justice of the Supreme Court. I was a student in college when he came to Richmond to preside at the district federal court and I made hold to introduce myself during a court recess. Years later some of us from Appomattox, led by Rep. Watt Abbitt went to the Oval Office at the White House to meet President Harry Truman and invite him to Appomattox. Had our pictures taken with him. Also got within ten feet of FDR but did not meet him. And fairly close up, saw Presidents Lyndon Johnson, Dwight Eisenhower, and John F. Kennedy. Not a bad record for a country boy.

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Checked at the local post office to see who was the first to register here Monday in the draft sign-up. Kenneth Allen Robertson. Have no idea how many 18-19 year olds there are in our county.

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Warm weather item: I was brought up on iced tea as a cooling drink for summer, but do not see as much of it now. Still favorite but we may be in "the Pepsi generation." And one more. If you think it hot, consider the Redskins in training camp at Carlisle, Pa. in football gear. Thanks for reading and seeya around.

Farm safety is stressed

President Carter has proclaimed the week of July 25 through July 31 as National Farm Safety Week and called upon those who serve agricultural producers to become full partners in farm and community safety efforts.

The President said, "Safety leaders have demonstrated that accidents and injuries can be effectively reduced by greater caution in work habits, by consistent use of protective equipment, and by careful planning for emergencies. A safer agricultural environment will be more productive and better able to meet the tremendous food and fibre needs of our people in the decade ahead."

National Farm Safety Week is co-sponsored by the National Safety Council and the U.S. Department of Agriculture. It is also supported by many farm and agri-related organizations serving agriculture. This year marks the 37th consecutive observance of the rural safety effort initiated during World War II to help combat accidents impairing wartime agricultural production.

The emphasis this year is to encourage more farm and ranch operators to use personal protective equipment such as safety shoes, hard hats, safety eyewear and respirators. As personal protective equipment has been used successfully in many industries, farm safety leaders believe its routine use in agriculture could significantly reduce those losses.

The NSC and USDA encourage all farm and ranch families to adopt safe work, play and driving practices, remedy hazardous conditions and make full use of personal protective equipment.

Postmaster offers tips for vacationing patrons

Before leaving on vacation several simple steps can make sure your mail is handled smoothly while you're away, Postmaster Ora S. McCoy said this week.

"Ask a neighbor or relative to remove mail and newspapers from your mailbox daily, or have mail held at the post office," she said. "A written request to hold mail up to 30 days can be given to your letter carrier or submitted at the local post office. If an extended absence is anticipated, a temporary mail forwarding order can be requested."

Postmaster McCoy stressed the importance of not letting mail accumulate in a mailbox, saying "it's a sign even novice burglars can detect."

Other tips include taking an ample supply of stamps and postal cards on your trip and remembering to take the addresses to those to whom you may write. Don't forget, post cards only require 10 cents postage, while standard letters one ounce or less need a 15 cent stamp.